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MEXICAN REVOLUTIONISTS.

Indians of Chihuahua Discover a New Patron Saint Who Incites Them to Rebel.

Wreck of a Schooner and Gallant Rescue of Her Crew When Almost Frozen

Big Oil Strike in Indiana—Women Now Making Fool Bets on the Election.

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico., Nov. 7.—The people of this state and the country in general are much alarmed over the Indian troubles in the western part of Chihuahua, in the Sierra Madre. According to the report which has reached here during the last few days, the Yaqui Indians have been greatly aroused by the wholesale massacre of the neighboring and friendly tribe at Lomachie by Government troops. The peaceable Yaquis in the valley of Chihuahua are leaving their farms and ranches, and with their wives and children are gathering at an appointed rendezvous in the mountains north of Trinidad, where they have discovered another patron saint in the person of a beautiful Mexican girl named Anita Roca, whose father is a shepherd. Saint Anita charges the Indian worshippers to make war upon the Mexicans, and to reclaim the rich lands in Yaqui valley, which the Government has taken from them. There are several hundred Indian braves and about two hundred ignorant Mexicans now preparing to begin their depredations. They are nearly all well armed, and expect to begin their campaign as soon as winter sets in. The Government is active in its preparations to quell the outbreak, as soon as the rebels are drawn out of their strong hold. General Manuel Rance with 800 troops will leave for the scene of the new trouble as soon as the Mexican roads are passable.

Half Drowned Mariners.

MAYS LANDING, N.J., Nov. 7.—Word has been received here of the wreck of the large schooner Annie S. Gaskill, of this place, and the gallant rescue of the crew and captain. A cutter on Saturday morning found the schooner floating on her beam ends outside of Delaware breakwater, the sea running completely over her. Her crew were clinging to portions of the hull and making appeals for help. The wind was blowing a gale, A boat was lowered from the cutter and went to the rescue of the unfortunate sailors. They had been clinging to the wreck since long before daybreak. The sea had drenched them through and through, and they were nearly frozen stiff when taken off. All were cared for and landed. The Gaskill was bound for Norfolk, loaded with ties.

Will Hunt Bear.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Nov. 7.—Col. J. S. Martin, assistant general of the military department, to-day received a letter from M. Brown, business partner of Postmaster-General Wanamaker, stating that he will leave next Friday for San Antonio. He comes with the intention of organizing a large party of military officers and frontier sportsmen into a bear hunting expedition. The hunting party will make an extended trip through Western Texas and New Mexico.

Sudden Retribution.

MERIDIAN, Miss., Nov. 7.—James Tolbert, father of the Tolbert boys, who have long been a terror and disgrace to this section, was last night taken from the guards near Fort Stephens and lynched by a mob. Charlie Tolbert, the eldest son, is in custody and may escape mob violence. Tom Tolbert and his youngest brother Walter escaped after shooting Tom Cole. Bloodhounds are now scouring the country and their capture is only a matter of time.

Jerome Park Doomed.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—In all probability Jerome Park, for a generation far famed as one of the great racing tracks of the state, will soon cease to exist as a distinct tract of land, and will be broken up into building sites. A syndicate of wealthy men have closed its option on land at the price of $600,000 and announced its intention of taking the title to the property.

Launch of a Warship.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cala., Nov. 7.—Crusier Number 6, the largest war vessel so far built by the Union Iron Works, and which exceeds in size the Charleston or the San Francisco, was successfully launched on Saturday. The event is a notable one, Gov. Markham and staff, as well as all the prominent military and naval officers on the coast, being among the participants. The vessel was christened the Olympia, after the Washington city of that name. She is 5000 tons displacement.

Another Great Oil Well.

PORTLAND, Ind., Nov. 7.—The greatest excitement ever known in the Indiana oil field exists here. A well near Camden on the Grissell farm was torpedoed, and a solid stream of oil shot up into the air, 100 feet above the derrick. The well is flowing at the rate of 2000 barrels a day. It belongs to Gibson & Giles, of Pittsburg. Oil men from all over the territory are flocking to see the latest big strike.

Shot Without Delay.

SMITHSONIA, Ga., Nov. 7.—G. H. Herring, a highly respected farmer living near here, came to town this evening, sought out Sidney J. Akins, and shot him, killing him on the spot. Herring says Atkins had wronged his daughter.

Two More Fools Heard From.

MERIDEN, Conn., Nov. 7—Two young women of this city, employed in Bradley & Hubbard's shop, have made a novel bet on the presidential election. The loser is to wheel the winner in a baby carriage from the Meriden House to the Winthrop and back, between 8 and 9 o'clock on the first Saturday after election. A forfeit of $5 has been posted.

BOUND TO BE DISTINGUISHED.

Interesting Pranks of an Escaped Murderer Pitt Meadows Scheme.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 7.—Wm. Huston was arrested at Aldergrove yesterday, having escaped from the penitentiary last March while "doing" a term of 14 years for the murder of an old Indian woman. Huston on Saturday night got into trouble at Shortread's store at Langley, trying to "hold up" the shop for tobacco. He then jumped upon a horse and made off down the road, firing at two men coming along. For his trouble he got a shot in the hand and was then arrested at Aldergrove. He will be tried for breaking jail.

The new company to reclaim the land on Pitt Meadows has appointed J. F. Garden, of Vancouver, as engineer of the works. He will commence surveys at once.

"VIVE LA MERCIER!"

The French Canadians Give the Acquitted Politician a Hearty Welcome.

MONTREAL, Nov. 7.—Fully 12,000 people, principally French Canadians, assembled in the streets to-night to accord a public welcome to ex-Premier Mercier upon his return from Quebec after his trial and acquittal on a charge of malfeasance while in office. Seated in a chair decked with the Canadian flag, Mr. Mercier, looking pale and haggard, was borne through the streets to his house on the shoulders of eight men, accompanied by three brass bands and thousands of the populace, who waved their hats and shouted "Viva la Mercier!" The rear portion of the procession sang the Marseillaise hymn lustily. At his residence the ex-Premier was presented with a congratulatory address by the Club Nationale, the French Liberal club of the city, and in replying Mr. Mercier insinuated that he intended taking some action against his accusers in the near future, and declared his intention of taking his seat in the legislature despite his enemies.

ACCIDENT UP THE LINE.

A C.P.R. Train Runs Into a Tree—Burning of Port Moody Freight Shed.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 7.—Saturday's Atlantic express ran into a tree across the track near Sicamous, throwing the engine and two cars off the track. In consequence, Sunday's train did not arrive till 4:30 this morning. As the officers prefer the sailors to arrive in the morning, owing to the accident the special will be held back till Tuesday.

The C.P.R. freight shed at Port Moody, which has not been used for years, was burned on Saturday night.

Peter McFarlane, a section man on the C.P.R., is at the hospital suffering from a leg broken by a rock slide near Hope.

The discarded side-wheel steamer Mermaid will be re-fitted, supplied with twin screws and put on the Northern route.

There is now hope that the Italian assaulted on Saturday night will recover.

Mr. J. M. Bowell, Collector of Customs, has gone to Ottawa and other parts of eastern Canada.

The Orangemen in lieu of the usual parade and demonstration on November 5th, Guy Fawkes day, will mark the recurrence of the Gunpowder Plot by a concert in the Market Hall on Monday evening. Dr. Cooper, of New Westminster, and Rev. H. P. Hobson, of Christ church, will speak.

TEXADA'S IRON FIELDS.

Bonding of the Mines by a Wealthy Company—An Adventure With Indians.

NANAIMO, Oct. 7.—The boys here are jubilant over the result of the football match with the naval team at Esquimalt on Saturday. Many were doubtful of the result, as four of Nanaimo's strongest players were unable to attend the match, although good substitutes were found to fill their places. Everybody here would like to see a return match played in this city.

It is reported that the Puget Sound Steel Works have bonded the Texada iron mines for the purpose of supplying the works with the superior ore which lies in abundance there. It is likely this transaction will cause great activity on the island, and of course this means that Nanaimo will receive a little push ahead. Mr. Sutherland, who bonded the Texada Gold and Silver Mining Company's claims, speaks enthusiastically of the future prospects of Nanaimo, and predicts that eventually it will become the distributing point of British Columbia. What the residents of this city are most anxious to see undertaken is the erection of blast furnaces, especially as coal is in such close proximity.

A. L. Galano, a rancher at Campbell River, on returning home from a visit to the capital on Thursday was just in time to witness the departure of a band of Indians who had plundered his house of all the furniture and effects. Galano fired at them, and wounded one man in the arm but they escaped and took the plunder with them.

Quite a chapter of accidents has happened in the mines lately by the incautious use of powder. Another accident from this cause was reported from Wellington on Saturday. J. Fish, a miner lighted a shot on Thursday in his stall, and as he thought it had missed, he went to investigate when the blast went off in his face, but not seriously injuring him.

There are three cases so far reported for the December assizes, two for murder and one for wilful murder. The little Jap from Saturna island will also be tried for larceny.

Sheffield cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

NOT AN UNMIXED EVIL.

The Scheduling of Canadian Cattle Not Such a Very Bad Thing After All.

Diphtheria Epidemic in Renfrew County Lumber Camps Causing Many Deaths.

Tempestuous Weather in the North Atlantic—Muskoka Hunters to be Watched.

TORONTO, Nov. 7.—The scheduling of Canadian cattle affected with pleuro-pneumonia, has caused quite a commotion in the live cattle trade here. It will have the effect of compelling farmers to feed their cattle at home instead of sending them to Great Britain to be fed. This will undoubtedly be not an unmixed evil, but it will certainly increase the hardships of the farmer's present condition under the McKinley tariff. The cattle dealers lose one of the cargoes now in transit, but they will afterwards be able to take care of themselves as between the farmer and the English consumer.

To Discuss Trade Relations.

HALIFAX, Nov. 7.—Sir John Thompson and Hon. Messrs. Bowell and Chapleau of the Dominion Government arrived here on Saturday from Ottawa, to meet the delegates from Newfoundland to discuss trade questions between the Dominion and the colony. The latter's delegates are not expected here before Wednesday, as the steamer Cathaginian on which they will take passage, has not yet left St. John.

The Wild North Atlantic.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfd., Nov. 7.—The Dominion Steamship Ontario from Montreal for Avonmouth dock, put in here yesterday in a disabled condition, her machinery having broken down during the terrific weather she recently encountered. Nearly half of her cargo of cattle was washed overboard.

Theodore Child Dead.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A despatch to the London Times from Teheran, states that Theodore Child, making a literary tour for the firm of Harper Bros., the American publishers, is dead of cholera at Ispahan.

Diphtheria Epidemic in Renfrew.

KINGSTON, Ont., Nov. 7.—Diphtheria is now raging in the lumber camps in Renfrew county. Numbers of settlers have also been taken down. Thomas Hanrahan lost five children by it.

Muskoka Game Slaughterers.

TORONTO, Nov. 7.—A large number of hunters are going into Muskoka and Parry Sound districts this fall. They will be closely watched, both by the game wardens and the local residents.

For False Registration.

BROOKLYN, N.Y., Nov. 7.—To-day a laborer named Cornelius Crimmins was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary for false registration and was fined $500.

The India in Hongkong.

HONGKONG, Nov. 7.—The C. P. R. steamship Empress of India arrived here this morning.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

The British ship Bankburn, loading lumber at Port Blakeley for Iquique, has completed her cargo of 1,156,000 feet and was to have sailed yesterday. The crew will join the ship at Port Townsend.

The bark Cowlitz, recently from Taku, China, was released from quarantine at Port Townsend Saturday. The crew is still in the pest house. No symptoms of cholera or other cantagious diseases have developed.

The steamer Cutch was taken out Friday on the De Lion dry dock for the purpose of holding a survey for classification. The surveyors were Captain E. Biondi, of Port Townsend; Captain Clift, of Tacoma, and Capt. Clark, of Victoria. On the steamer were several ladies and gentlemen from British Columbia who accompanied Capt. Webster, manager of the Union Steamship Company, and E. B. Cargall, one of the directors. Capt. Johnson is in command of the vessel.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

Consul Myers' Opinion as to How the Election Will Go.

Mr. Levi P. Myers, the United States Consul at this port, is confident that the people of the United States will to-morrow re-elect Benjamin Harrison President of the Republic. His reasons for this are numerous. In the first place, he says the Democrats stand little chance with the tariff issue. It is true that in 1890 the Republicans were defeated on this issue, but the famous McKinley bill was then but a few weeks old and the people were misled by the Democrats. Since then the Republicans have shown that the Democrats misrepresented the question. The arguments on the banking and silver questions are also decidedly in favor of the Republicans.

Regarding New York state Mr. Myers said the indications are that the Republicans are going to carry it. The registrations during the past few months have been very large and this means votes of the Republicans; a great many of whom were not registered in 1890.

Personally, no one has anything to say against Harrison and even the Democrats have to admit that his administration has been the cleanest that the United States has ever had.

In conversation with Dr. Conover of Seattle a few days ago, Mr. Myers received a great deal of information regarding the election. The doctor had just returned from Washington, where he was able to gather much from inside circles. Dr. Conover was for many years a Senator from Florida, and took a prominent part in the Hayes-Tilden fight in 1876. He says that on the surface everything is favorable to the Republicans, but there are undercurrents which may turn the tables. He says the Republican leaders think that they are going to elect Harrison by a big majority, or be completely snowed under. The fight will not be a close one, but it is no sure thing for either party.

Other gentlemen interested in the election expect to hear some startling news from across the border to-morrow. The Federal Government have placed their marshals in charge of the polling places, and it is expected that the Federal and State officers will clash in many places. If they do, and it is almost certain that they will, there will be some fighting.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

FOOTBALL.

CIVILIANS VERSUS BLUEJACKETS.

The Association game of football played at Beacon Hill on Saturday between the Victoria Association team and the bluejackets from the fleet was a pleasant one. The civilians had the best of the game although the navy team was the heavier. The result was 5 to 1 in favor of the Victorians. It is expected, however, that this will be reversed when the return match is played at Esquimalt.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

Hughes & O'Brien always have fresh butter and eggs. *

The new Irish society will probably hold a series of social meetings during the winter. The society possesses some fine talent.

Elegant line of epergnes and flower tubes just opened at Weiler Bros. *

Try the Indo-China blended tea, to be had only from Bowness & Creeden, 136 Government street.

The ladies of St. James' Sewing Society intend holding their annual sale of work and "high tea" on Tuesday, Nov. 29th. See advt. next week.

Fine fishing tackle at Fox's 78 Government street.

Prime creamery butter just arrived. Bowness & Creeden, 136 Government street. *

Fast driving on James Bay bridge is becoming the fashion again. There will be a heavy fall in building material in that quarter of the compass some fine day.

For fine ball programmes, invitation, wedding and visiting cards, and all kinds of commercial work, maps, checks, billheads, letter and note heads, color labels, etc., etc., go to to the Victoria Lithograph Co., cor. Yates and Government streets, up stairs; entrance Yates street. Orders taken at the TIMES office. *

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

W. R. Bryant spent yesterday in the city.

R. E. Gosnell and wife are in the city.

J. Crawford is back from the Mainland.

Captain Tatlow is down from Vancouver.

Allan Cameron spent Sunday in Vancouver.

N. B. Gauvreau returned from the Mainland last evening.

John Coughlan was a passenger by the Islander last night.

M. D. Roche goes across to Seattle to-night to attend the election.

W. H. Mawdsley returned home to Plumpers Pass Saturday.

John Mahrer, of Nanaimo, was in town on Saturday evening

Capt. H. G. Lewis returned from Vancouver on Saturday evening.

J. M. McGregor, of the Dominion Publishing Co., Vancouver, is in the city.

Alex. Ewen, John Hendry and D. J. Munn, of New Westminster, are at the Driard.

J. Fletcher, chief operator of the C. P. R. Telegraphs at Vancouver, arrived in the city last night.

Dr. Hamilton, the well-known veterinary surgeon, after an illness of a couple of weeks, is again able to be about.

James King is back from a business trip to the Sound. He says if the election did not absorb all other interest, there would be considerable excitement over the smallpox.

An Interesting Commemoration.

The picturesque old city of Winchester is anticipating an interesting commemoration. On the 8th of April next its grand old cathedral will attain the 800th anniversary of its consecration. Two important ceremonies are described in annals which have been preserved, under the date of 1093. The first relates to the entry of the monks into their new church on the 8th of April in that year, and the second to the translation of the relics of St. Swithin, of whom we have been forcibly reminded this year. The annals tells us that when the monks removed, as they did with the greatest exultation and joy, from the old monastery of Winchester to the new one, nearly all the bishops and abbots in England were present; and 800 years ago it was a formidable enterprise to journey from the remote sees of the north to a city which is within something like 30 miles of the south coast of England. On the festival of St. Swithin a procession took place from the old monastery, and the bier of the saint was borne by the processionists and placed with honor in the new one.

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FESTIVITIES AT WITTENBERG.

The German Emperor Visits the Ancient City to do Honor to Luther's Memory.

Description of the Scenes at the Festival and the Quaint Old German Town.

The Kaiser's visit to Wittenberg at the beginning of the week was an event of more than ordinary significance politically and from a religious point of view. The old town of pointed gables, quaint towers and narrow streets presented a unique aspect. Everywhere bright banners and floral festoons were seen, and the whole town bore a holiday appearance. The Schloss Kirche, the central point of the fete, was commenced in 1439 and finished in 1499. In 1760 it was seriously injured by bombardment and suffered in the same manner in 1813-14. It was first restored in 1814-17, and now, owing to Emperor William's generosity, it has been again restored. On the north side were the wooden doors to which Luther affixed his theses. These doors were burned in 1730, but were replaced in 1858 by metal doors 10 feet in height. They were presented by Frederick William IV. and bear the original Latin text of Luther's theses. Above on a golden ground is a representation of Christ with Luther and Melancthon at his feet. On the right and left, above the doors, are statues of Electors Frederick the Wise and John the Constant. The bodies of these electors are buried in the church.

Everywhere in the town are evidences of the great reformer. Not far from the railway station, outside the Elster Thor, stands an oak tree planted in 1830. This tree is said to mark the spot where Luther publicly burned the Papal bull on December 10, 1530. This spot is said to have been selected by Luther, because here were buried the clothing of those who died from the plague. In Collegeien-strasse is the Augusteum, in the court of which stands Luther's house. The first floor is fitted up as Luther Halle, and contains many articles that belonged to Luther. In the vestibule are a number of paintings representing scenes in Luther's life. In the market place stands a statue of Luther under a Gothic canopy. The base bears the inscription: "Ists Gottels werk so wirds bestein; ists menschen werk, wirds untergehn" (If it be God's work it will endure; if man's work it will perish). Under a brazen slab in the Schloss Kirche are the remains of Luther.

Immense crowds of people from all parts of the country came to witness the ceremony of the rededication of the restored church. Upon the arrival of the Imperial party at the railway station they were welcomed by Prince Stolberg-Wernigerode, who conducted them to the town hall. The whole route was lined with troops. The Emperor walked the entire distance and the crowd shouted and cheered enthusiastically. The Imperial party was received at the town hall by the Burgomaster on behalf of the municipal authorities, and he read an address to the Emperor, who responded with thanks.

At the head of the procession which formed in the market place were the highest Protestant clergy of the Empire, including the president of the Evangelican Superior Council and the general superintendent of the Lutheran church. These were followed by a large number of clergymen of lesser note. Then came a long line of generals of the army in full uniform, other military officers, ministers of state, representatives of the Landtag and many officials from civil, military and naval departments.

Then came the Protestant Princes of Germany, with their retinues, and the representatives of Protestant foreign sovereigns. The Emperor and his suite brought up the end of the procession, being escorted by a squadron of cavalry. As soon as the order was given for the procession to move the church bells began to peal merrily, while the strains of "Eine Feste Burg" broke forth from the instruments of the trumpeters who were stationed in the towers of the castle church. When Emperor William arrived at the door of the church Professor Adler, the architect of the restored edifice, presented the key to His Majesty, who with a few gracious words, handed it to the president of the church council. The latter in turn handed the key to Dr. Quandt, the pastor of the church, saying:

"By command of the Emperor, the protector and high architect of this house of God, and by virtue of my office, I deliver to you as an ordained minister of the Word this key. May all who enter through the door which this key opens enter the gate of heaven."

Dr. Quandt then opened the door and the Emperor and train passed through. As the Imperial party entered the church the congregation arose and sang the hymn, "Come, Holy Ghost, Our God." When the Imperial party had taken the seats assigned to them, Dr. Schaltze, the leader of the church in Saxony, opened the services. Dr. Vierege, the court chaplain, preached a sermon, taking his text from Romans iii., 24; "Being justified freely by His grace, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus." Upon the conclusion of the services the Imperial party drove to Luther's house, where the Emperor signed the deed of dedication. From Luther's house the Emperor and his party reviewed a gorgeous historical procession, composed of 19 groups, illustrating the foundation and development of Wittenberg and the foundation of the Schloss Kirche. The eleventh car was the chief feature. It was emblematic of the reformation.

On it was a representation of Martin Luther on horseback, surrounded by his adherents. Behind the car rode five leaders of the famous league of Schmalkald, founded by Wittenberg in 1535 to defend the Protestants against Charles V. After this was a grand banquet. The Duke of York, who represented Queen Victoria, was seated opposite the Emperor. The Emperor, in his speech, said: "To us the church is not only a memorial, but a serious admonition and an expression of divine blessing through the Protestant church. The confession of our faith that we made to-day in the presence of God binds us and the whole of Christendom. There in lies a bond of peace reaching beyond all lines of division. In the matter of faith there is no compulsion. The free conviction of the heart and the decisive acknowledgment thereof is the blessed fruit of the reformation.

"We Protestants make a feud with nobody on account of his belief, but we hold fast our faith in the gospel to death." The Emperor thanked the German princes and Protestant sovereigns of Europe for taking part in the festival. He concluded by raising the cup that Wittenberg presented to Luther on the occasion of his wedding. "This cup," he said, "once touched Luther's lips. It shall serve me to drink to the welfare of my illustrious guests. Long life to the Protestant princes of Germany and the governments of German free towns."

Two Hundred and Six Nights.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—After having broken all theatrical records in this country, and every other, so far as known, the members of the American Extravaganza Company, who have been appearing for several months in the elaborate spectacle of Ali Baba, or Morgiana and the Forty Thieves, will leave to-night on a special train of seven cars for the Pacific coast, stopping at St. Louis en route. Since its initial production the piece has been played in Chicago 206 consecutive times, or 81 times more than any other one play, the only one approaching this run being the Crystal Slipper and Sinbad, both of which made records of 125 performances each. Ali Baba has been seen by over 400,000 people, and the receipts have approximated $350,000. The company which departs to-night numbers 115 people, and will be the largest organization on the road this season. After the San Francisco engagement is ended the spectacle will be seen in the principal cities of the country.

American Thanksgiving Day.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The following proclamation was issued yesterday afternoon:—The gifts of God to our people during the past year have been so abundant and so special that a spirit of devout thanksgiving awaits not the call, but only the appointment of the day when we may have a common expression. He has stayed the pestilence at our doors; He has given us more love for the free institutions in the creation of which his directing providence is so conspicuous; He has awakened deeper reverence for the laws; He has widened our philanthropy by the call to succor distress in other lands; He has blessed our schools and is oringing forward a patriotic and God fearing generation to execute His great and benevolent designs for our country. He has given to us a great increase in material wealth and wide diffusion of contentment and comfort in the homes of our people; He has given His grace to the sorrowing. Therefore, I, Benjamin Harrison, President of the United States, do call upon all of our people to observe, as has been their wont, Thursday, the 24th day of this month of November, as a day of thanksgiving to God for His mercies and supplication for His continued care and grace.

Lumber for Australia.

TACOMA, Nov. 5.—Advices received by the Puget Sound Lumberman from Australia are to the effect that the proposed duty of $6 25 on American lumber, now before Parliament, will in all probability not go through. It was alleged that the proposed duty was to be a retaliatory measure against the McKinley bill, but it is now claimed that the move was fathered by Australian timber brokers, who, having large stocks of lumber on hand, hoped to realize heavily on the advance in prices sure to accrue from the passage of the act.

The Watch Slept.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—The Times' correspondent at Lisbon says, regarding the wreck of the Roumania:—"The watch below were asleep at the time. They were washed overboard as they came on deck. While in the water the Lascars who were saved saw the captain on the bridge giving orders. Everyone on deck at the time was washed overboard. The women remained in the cabin. The Lascars think that many passengers were killed by the rails breaking loose."

Justice to Scotland.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—A deputation from the Scottish Home Rule Association waited on Sir O. Trevelyan, Secretary for Scotland, and maintained that the question of Scottish Home Rule should have attention simultaneously with or directly after that for Ireland. He declined to make a definite promise regarding the course of the Government, though he showed that he was in sympathy with the object of the deputation.

Finally Quarrelled.

CULHEART, Ga., Nov. 5.—Doc and Howard Taylor, prominent negro farmers, lived together and were unmarried. It has just been discovered that they quarrelled a few days ago and that Doc killed his brother and tried to burn the body. It did not burn fast enough and he buried the unburned fragments. The negroes are greatly excited over the discovery and threaten to lynch him.

Hung Up by the Thumbs.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 5.—The jury in the Iams case came in at 11:15 this morning with a verdict of acquittal for officers Hawkins and Streator, who are charged with assault in tying up Iams by the thumbs during the Homestead troubles.

The delicious fragrance, refreshing coolness and soft beauty imparted to the skin by *Pozzoni's Powder*, commends it to all ladies.

A few sample lines of fine Swiss curtains at a bargain at Weiler Bros. *

Phœnix Lager Beer.

Rioting at Homestead.

HOMESTEAD, Nov. 5.—The first outbreak for this week occurred yesterday afternoon. Two negro coke workers were insulted by small boys and finally threatened them. The boys' mother standing near by set up a scream and a crowd collecting pelted the negroes with bricks and stones. They fled in terror and got inside the mill in time to save their lives.

By order of General Borland, commanding the first brigade of the state militia and the guards at the armories were doubled to-day. The troops have been held in readinesss at the armories all day, but fortunately there has been no call upon their services. In case of any disturbance action will be prompt. The Governor is in the city and will remain here for some time.

An Expert in Poisons.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Charles A. Seeley, Ph. D., died last Friday at Mount Vernon, N.Y. Dr. Seeley was born at Allison in 1825. He graduated in 1846 with the honorary degree of Ph. D. He was appointed professor of chemistry and toxicology in the New York Medical College in 1859, and resigned in 1862. Dr. Seeley was employed as a chemist expert in patents litigation from 1865 to the time of his retirements in 1886, and was several times employed in cases of alleged poisoning. He was widely known as an inventor. Many of his inventions were in the line of electrical appliances. Dr. Seeley was a member of the Association for the Advancement of Science, and a life member of the American Institute.

Relics Worth Wrangling For.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 7.—Fred and T. P. Mollinger, the heirs and nephews of the late Father Mollinger, say they are going to sell the relics lately owned by their uncle. This has stirred up the members of the Church of the Holy Name, at which the dead priest performed so many of his remarkable cures. The members say the relics are the property of the church, and that in the event of the heirs attempting to sell or remove them, the matter will be taken into the courts. The heirs are equally positive that they belong to the estate. Messrs. Mollinger are now in Chicago, but will return to Pittsburg on Wednesday, when the matter will be referred to the church.

A Descendant of Pocahontas.

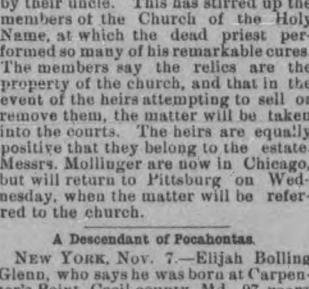
NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—Elijah Bolling Glenn, who says he was born at Carpenter's Point, Cecil county, Md., 97 years ago, intends walking to the polls tomorrow to Newark. Glenn says that he cast his first vote seventy-five years ago. He is a staunch Democrat. He claims that his mother was a direct descendant of Pocahontas. "I have documents to prove it," said Mr. Glenn. "Pocahontas had three daughters and one of them married a man named Bolling, which was my mother's name. I was married in 1829. I nearly lost my life during the cholera epidemic in 1832."

There Will Be Darkness.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 7.—The Electric Light Union, composed of the trimmers, engineers and other workmen about the electric light plant, have decided to join in the strike, but in order to make their decision effective it was necessary they should obtain the approval of the International Union of Electric Light Workers, of which they are members. Dispatches have been sent to the headquarters in St. Louis soliciting their approval, and as soon as this answer is received, if it be in the affirmative, the men will go "out." As the gas workers have already gone "out," the city will be in darkness.

Did Not Come to Pass.

PARKERSBURG, W.V., Nov. 7.—It has been arranged that Wanamaker, Dudley, Secretary Foster, Attorney-General Miller, Steven Elkins and Internal Revenue Commissioner Mason, should meet with a horde of U. S. marshals at Grafton, but Elkins telegraphed that he was suddenly called to Washington on official business, and the plan fell through.



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The Story of Two Traders Who Went Adrift on the Indian Ocean.

The British India Steam Navigation Company's steamship Simla which has arrived in Bombay from the Persian Gulf, brought two men, named Desfully Lavy and Thelocouri Lavy, whose adventures and misfortures during the months of June and July last it would be difficult to find beaten in fiction. The two men, who are brothers, belong to Port Victoria, the capital of the island of Mahe, one of the groupe known as the Seychelles Islands. They had been engaged in carrying produce from one island to another in the Venus, a small sailing craft of about twenty-five tons burthen. This vessel, which was possessed of but one sail, was worked by a crew of six, and in addition to the two men whose names are given above, they had on board on the 25th June, St. Amour Lavy, their uncle. Rosier Lespoir and Julius Lespoir, father and son; and another man named Adolphe. These six persons set sail from Port Victoria in the Venus, on a short voyage round the islands, having on board a cargo of eggs, and provisions for a four days' trip. However, shortly after leaving, they encountered bad weather, which prevented them again making for land, and four days after leaving port the sail was carried away by the force of the storm. By this time the little craft had been blown well out into the open sea, and those on board were soon aroused to the perils of their position by the fact that they were drifting out of the track of vessels, and by the knowledge that their provisions only consisted of some 18 pounds of rice and about 20 gallons of water, the latter contained in a cask. With the hope of being picked up by a passing vessel growing more and more faint every moment, and with the knowledge that no rescue party from shore could then reach them, the men divided the rice into small allowances, and decided that each man's share of the fresh water should be about equal to a couple of wineglasses daily. Having made this disposition of their small stock of eatables and drinkables, the six men, taking it in turns to keep a look-out and to endeavor to keep the craft's head to the sea, settled themselves down to the inevitable, and it seemed as if their being rescued would be little short of a miracle. With the Indian Ocean spread before their eyes and not a sight of land in any direction, the crew spent several days in the open boat, but on the 19th day after starting on their voyage, their provisions, both of rice and fresh water, became exhausted. For a time the men had been partly appeasing their hunger by eating the eggs which formed their cargo, but the latter soon began to rot, and in a few days were uneatable. With, therefore, no food left on board it is almost impossible to imagine the agonies the men were subjected to, and some of them found the temptation to quench their thirst beyond control. The result was that more than one of the castaways drank the sea water, while seven days after the provisions had given out, St. Amour Lavy, one of the men, died from the effects of hunger and exposure, and was afterwards buried at sea. Two days afterwards the man Rosier died. This second death cast a gloom over the now despairing quartette lett on board the vessel, all of whom were by this time in a very low state indeed; but on the third day subsequent to this sad event hope was kindled in the hearts of the survivors by land being sighted in the distance. Later in the day the boat drifted on the shore, where it afterwards sank. Shortly after the shipwrecked men had managed to crawl on land another of their number succumbed to the effects of the protracted privations which he had undergone on the voyage. It is worthy of mention that during the 30 days the men were at sea they must have drifted at least 1300 miles in their open boat, as the place where they landed was subsequently found to be Rasboor or Ras Madruka, a deserted point on the Arabian coast. While the three survivors were staggering about in search of food and water, they were surprised to see coming towards them a solitary Bedouin. This son of the desert was at the time regarded as an unwelcome visitor, as the brothers Lavy, knowing that they must have been thrown on the coast of Africa, or Arabia, and knowing also that in such districts the natives of the country were at variance with the civilized world, were under the impression that they would be either killed or sold into slavery. Their surprise can more easily be imagined than described, when the Bedouin, instead of subjecting them to ill-treatment, acted the part of the good Samaritan by offering them food in the shape of dates and water. The three men eagerly drank of the water, and the two Lavys also devoured the dates, their first meal for 11 days, but the exertion was too much for their companion, who shortly afterwards succumbed to exhaustion, making the fourth death since the voyage was commenced. The Bedouin having done all he could to tend to the wants of the shipwrecked survivors, and finding they were incapable of walking any distance, placed them on the backs of two camels which he had with him, and traveled a short distance to a place in the desert, where he found a tree, under the shade of which he made them lie down. Here he remained with his charges for some three or four days, tending to their wants and trying to find out where they had come from. Conversation, however, was not possible, as the language of both rescuer and rescued was different, but after a time the Bedouin mentioned the word Muscat, and the elder Lavy, knowing there was such a place on the Persian Gulf, signified that they would like to be conducted there. The Arab at first tried to convey to them that the distance across the Oman desert was a long one, being some 400 miles as the crow flies, and also asked money, but finding that his charges were penniless, he, on the fourth day of the sejourn in his desert, finding they had regained a portion of their strength, placed them again on the camels, set off, himself walking and leading the "ships of the desert" towards civilization, until after a journey of 22 days he led them before the British consul, Dr. Jayakar, at Muscat. The rescued men stated that though on many occasions they had to take a circuitous route in order to avoid villages containing hostile Arabs, and at times had to march on incessantly both by day and night, he cared for them in such a way as they little expected, it being generally the rule, when an Arab captures a Christian to convey him into the interior of the country and sell him into captivity. Instead of doing this, however, the rescuer, on the 22nd day after the start on the journey across the desert, conducted his charges into the presence of Her Majesty's Consul and the Sultan of Muscat, to whom they gave an account of their adventures. The Sultan at once gave clothes to the Frenchmen, and the English Consul handed over to the friendly Bedouin a sum of money that should make him contented for life, while the officers and crew of H.M.S. Sphinx, which was at Muscat at the time, also gave the Lavys clothes and a sum of money. After remaining at the port three days the ss. Simla called there, and they were placed on board and given a second-class passage to Bombay. The men will be sent back to the Seychelles at the Government's expense.—Times of India.

NECK AND NECK.

The Ridiculous Encounter of Two Giraffes for the Control of a Herd.

London Graphic.]

There is a deal of human nature in a giraffe—in his native state. The old fellows insist on ruling the herd as long as possible and never give up till the young ones whip them out, and as the weak ones are whipped out in the start, the result is that each boss giraffe is a polygamist on a large scale. This leads to savage fights, and as the hunters penetrate into South Africa they occasionally witness these duels. A hunter gives this account of such a combat between an old and a young giraffe, witnessed from an adjacent thicket:

"Presently the belligerents came within a few yards of each other. Then commenced a scene that baffles all description. Some people might call it ludicrous; it was far more—it was side-splitting, and but for my desire to see the end I must have given way to convulsions of laughter. Although the giraffe possesses a certain beauty when at rest, it loses its grace when in motion, and the greater its speed the more ungainly does it appear. But when two mature bulls begin to waltz and dance violently around each other, each endeavoring to outdo the other in agility, at the same time mumbling their jaws and emitting fearfully discordant roars, it is certainly one of the most absurd sights human eye ever looked upon. I have often seen a crane dance—a function common enough north of the Vaal River. It is more than funny—it is ridiculous—but cannot for an instant be compared to the antics of these two mammoth brutes.

"They began rearing as if to bear each other down, their mouths all the time open to grip if opportunity offered. At length the violent exercise began to tell on the older beast. He made some mistake in a parry and the younger seized with his teeth the foot of the veteran, who in return laid hold of his opponent's ear. For some moments there was a pause. It was very brief, and then the struggle was renewed. With a gigantic effort the younger giraffe threw the old hero upon his haunches. He looked very much as if he had played his last card, but there was pluck in his aged heart yet, though the battle was not for him; years told against him, and victory lay with the youngster, who celebrated it by trying to drag the vanquished after him. This operation must have been painful, for the shrieks that the defeated warrior uttered were heartrending. After a final worry the hero of the hour walked off, mobbed the two harems of ladies together, and, willingly followed by all, took the lead. Not one of the Zenana of the fallen chief turned a head for an instant to see what had become of him."

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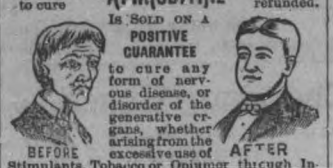

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The owner, lessee, agent, or person having the care of any ground, yard, vacant lot, or other property where stagnant water or other nuisance exists, abutting on any street through which a common sewer shall have been constructed shall cause the same to be effectually drained into such common sewer.

The owner, lessee, agent, or occupier of any building or premises used as a dwelling house, hotel, restaurant, saloon, shop, store, office, factory, wash-house, or otherwise, shall furnish the same with a sufficient drain under ground to carry off all waste or foul water or liquid filth; and no such drain shall empty or discharge into or upon any street, road, or highway, or any open drain thereon, unless in the opinion of the Mayor and Council the same shall not be detrimental to the public health.

All vaults and privies shall be made tight, so that the contents thereof cannot escape therefrom, and as remote from any dwelling, well, or water tank as practicable.

OVERCROWDING.

No person shall let or occupy, or suffer to be occupied, as a dwelling or lodging, any room which—

(a.) Does not contain at all times at least 384 cubic feet of space for each person occupying the same

(b.) Has not a window made to open in a manner approved by the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector; or

(c.) Has not appurtenant to it the use of a water-closet, earth closet or privy, constructed in accordance with the by-laws and regulations of the City.

And every room in which a person passes the night, or is found between midnight and five o'clock in the forenoon, shall be deemed to be occupied as a dwelling or lodging within the meaning of this section.

SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.

No person shall erect, open, or use any slaughter-house within the limits of the City of Victoria.

EVENTION OF THE SPREAD OF DISEASE.

Whenever a person suffering from smallpox, cholera, or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, is an inmate of any hotel or boarding house, the keeper, or one of the keepers, of such hotel or boarding-house shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

Every medical practitioner attending or visiting any person who is suffering from smallpox, cholera, or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

Any officer of the Corporation may seize, and under the direction of the Medical Health Officer, the Mayor or the Sanitary Inspector, destroy any tainted or unwholesome meat, poultry, fish, or other article of food exposed or offered for sale.

PENALTY.

Every person guilty of an infraction of any of the provisions of this by-law shall, upon conviction thereof, in a summary manner, before the Police Magistrate or any two Justices of the Peace having jurisdiction in the City, forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding fifty dollars, and costs if ordered; and if such penalty, and costs if ordered, be not paid immediately or within such period as such Police Magistrate or Justices may appoint, the same may be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender, or such offender may be imprisoned, with or without hard labor, for any term not exceeding three calendar months, unless such penalty, and costs if ordered, be sooner paid

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THE ELECTION.

To-morrow is election day in the States, and the contending parties will shortly know the measure of their success or failure. Reports have been sent out from the headquarters of the Democrats and the Republicans making the usual representations as to their assurance of success, which of course will be accepted with the usual amount of caution by the public. It is quite plain that there is even more uncertainty about the outcome this year than there has been in any of the late contests, due to the fact that much disintegration of the parties has been noticed. There can be no reasonable doubt that the Republicans have lost more in this way than their opponents, because several prominent men have left them to join the Democrats. When such men as Judge Gresham, Wayne MacVeagh and Seth Low decided to leave their party it is only rational to suppose that a good many of the rank and file have come to a similar conclusion for similar reasons. It is plainly apparent that the Republican managers are not quite so confident as they were once; they are putting forth stupendous efforts to achieve success, chiefly in the way of spending money. It is stated that their campaign fund is the largest ever gathered together. Office-holders and tariff beneficiaries have "bled" freely for the high tariff party. The Pittsburg iron firms alone contributed some $250,000, of which $100,000 was given by the Carnegie company. Tariff-fed manufacturers in other places are supposed to have given proportionately large amounts. Canadians remember how their own Red Parlor bled last year for the upholding of the N. P., and can understand how effective a weapon a big campaign fund may prove. Not content with securing the big fund, the Republican managers took steps to provide for its efficient manipulation. They sent to New York ex-Senator Quay and David Marshall, of Pennsylvania, two men who enjoy the reputation of being most expert corruptionists. Another desperate move on the part of the Republicans is the order that United States marshals are to be placed inside the polling booths to-morrow, ostensibly with the object of securing order and preventing illegal voting, but in reality with the view of securing a party advantage. This action of the Federal Government is viewed by the Democrats as an infringment on state rights, for the states are supposed to control all the election machinery. It may result in serious conflicts at the polls. It is thus evident that the Republicans are far from being confident of securing a victory, and are therefore prepared to adopt any means that may come within their reach. New York state, they declare, is to be captured at any cost. How far their extraordinary devices may be successful it is impossible to say, but it looks as though without their employment the Democrats would be fairly sure of carrying New York, and with it the whole country. Sir Richard Cartwright, who recently paid an extended visit to his son in Rochester, has expressed the opinion that the Democrats will carry both New York and Massachusetts, on the sole issue of tariff reform. Other good judges predict their success in Indiana and Wisconsin. Their fusion with the People's Party in Nebraska, Colorado and Oregon may succeed in taking those states out of the Republican column. At all events, the election will evidently be very close, and neither party has any "sure thing."

CONTRACTORS AS ALDERMEN.

The contractors for the Adelphi building, Messrs. Elford & Smith, violate the city buildings by-law in three different ways. They take up more than the prescribed share of the street; they have erected no protective fence on Yates street; they have not provided a temporary sidewalk that can properly be termed a sidewalk. A few planks sinking into the mud cannot be deemed such a "planked walk" as the by-law calls for. A great many people are asking, quite naturally, why these men are allowed thus to ignore the by-law and treat the public with contempt. What "pull" have they with the council? There seems much plausibility in the theory that their "pull" arises from nearly half the aldermen being themselves contractors, and "a fellow-feeling makes them wondrous kind." Some of these contractor-aldermen have been notorious offenders against the by-law, so perhaps it is natural that they should not care to be very strict with other gentlemen in the same line of business. The moral seems to be that if the people want some regard paid to their street rights they must put fewer contractors into the council. Perhaps the public will deem this a hint worth acting upon after one or bad accidents have resulted from the impudent disregard for the by-law shown in connection with building operations.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

According to an Ottawa dispatch, one of the latest reports about the proposed reconstruction of the Dominion Cabinet is that the act passed some years ago creating the new department of trade and commerce, solicitor generalship and commissionerships of inland revenue and customs, and abolishing the portfolio of minister of customs and minister of inland revenue, is to be brought into force. "Thus," says the Ottawa Free Press, "Costigan and Chapleau would be got rid of by the abolition of their port folios. Girouard, M.P., for Jacques Cartier, is to become solicitor-general; Hazen, commissioner of inland revenue; Curran, commissioner of customs and Clarke Wallace, minister of agriculture in place of Carling."

Mr. Stevenson, the Democratic candidate for Vice-President, has made a very good condensation of the case against McKinleyism. He puts it in this way: "The greatest power conferred upon human government is that of taxation. All the great struggles of the past for broader political liberty have looked toward the limitation of this power to tax, a right which should always be limited by the necessities of the Government and the benefits which may be shared by all. Whenever this power is used to draw tribute from the many for the benefit of the few, or when part of the people are oppressed in order that the remainder may prosper unduly, equality is lost sight of. Injustice hardens into precedent, which is used to excuse new exactions, and then arise distinctions which the beneficiaries come to look upon in due time as vested rights sacred to themselves." Canadians would do well to study Mr. Stevenson's argument against taxation of the many for the benefit of the few.

The acquittal of Mercier by the jury at Quebec does not seem to have caused much surprise in any quarter. There was, in fact, very little reason to expect that the trial would reach any other conclusion, for even if the evidence had been stronger it is quite likely that the jury would have been induced by sentiment to return a verdict of not guilty. The sentiment arises from the feeling that Mercier was punished in a political way for a political offense. There seems to be no good reason why a premier should not be punished in the same way as an ordinary person for taking money illegally if he is proved guilty, but the ordinary jury would hardly look at the matter in that light. And the same party which furnished Mercier's prosecutors has very carefully educated the people in the belief that the political offenders against good morals are not to be treated like ordinary offenders. The Quebec jury very likely profited by the lessons given it from Ottawa.

Mr. Chapleau's organ, La Presse, objects to the way in which the Empire sneered at its master's threat to "smash Confederation." It says the Empire "is inoffensive when it does its usual work of the organ of a party which bled itself to the extent of $350,000 to purchase that instrument, which is neither dangerous nor incisive. It is very grotesque, however, when it assumes to play the part of a big dog watching the house." Then addressing itself directly to the chief organ the Minister of Customs' mouthpiece fires away in this fashion:

"Now, you must shut up, you big watchdog. You have neither the teeth, nor the claws, nor the strength, nor even the courage to do all you claim. You even forget your history of the Union. You forget, that without money, the Confederates brought the American Union very near its end. This they did with a very bad cause: the maintenance of slavery. You forget that a single English cruiser, the Alabama, came so near ruining American trade, that it required fifteen millions of English gold to pay off the fright which the Yankees experienced. And you dare speak of the poverty and humiliation which would be the fate of those who would vindicate their rights, their honor and their most sacred interests before the great tribunal of the world, where the rights of nation are adjudicated upon. No; be modest. Ask your masters what your provoking threat would cost. They already know what your insignificance has cost them. Let them give you some good advice and pay you to remain silent if need be."

Let the Empire and Colonist take notice that Mr. Chapleau is not dead yet.

Mr. Armstrong, the new president of the Toronto Young Men's Conservative Association, talked very plainly about the exodus in his inaugural address. One passage in his address is as follows:—"The question as to why thousands are leaving this country every year and going to the States should engage our serious attention; and we should try to solve the question, for it is quite evident that older heads are not going to do so. A hue and cry is raised by revenue patriots at after dinner speeches and by some soul-bursting political speakers on the stump against annexing our land, but not a word is raised by our politicians or by our patriotic press or by any one, to the States annexing the brains and muscle of this country in job lots." It is to be hoped that the "younger heads" addressed by Mr. Armstrong will be able to devise a remedy, for the older ones of the party have evidently given up the task, as witness Sir John Thompson's Petrolia announcement.

WHERE IS "DOCTOR" POPE?

TO THE EDITOR:—What has become of that noted educationist, "Doctor" Pope? Has he withdrawn himself from the observation of his less fortunate, because less gifted, fellow mortals and retired to the seclusion of the education office, where the older generation may forget his high attainments and the younger generation may see them only as through a glass darkly? Is this the time for him to sulk in his tent like Achilles, when the school trustees of Victoria are begging of him to come to their assistance and show them how the consequences of years of mismanagement and misdirected energy can best be avoided or overcome, and when Comox has thrown to the breeze the rebel flag and declared for a free school and J. N. Muir? On an occasion such as this the "Doctor" should not hide his light in the education office, where, perchance, it may "unfortunately" burn telltale examination papers. He should come to the front and boldly, before the trustees of Victoria and the trustees of Comox, give evidence of the faith that is in him.

People are inquisitive and sceptical now-a-days. Even school teachers and school trustees know enough of the Cartesian philosophy to enable them "to doubt." It is true that a Superintendent of Education who has never delivered a lecture on an educational topic may be able to do so, and that one who has never passed a teachers' examination is quite capable of examining teachers, even if the examination papers are afterwards burned. These things are possible and yet people "doubt" and wickedly imagine that because a man fills an important office, it does not of necessity follow that he is fitted for it, just as if, forsooth, Slabtown's "poodle dog" would not be a fit governor for a Canadian province if the Dominion Government graciously appointed him to that high office.

The "Doctor" may be excused for not accepting the invitation of the Victoria trustees to attend their meeting, when they at the same time extended an invitation to so many common teachers. The "Doctor's presence among so many teachers—all placed on an equal footing with common school trustees—would tend to lower the dignity of the Education Department without a doubt. Nevertheless, sceptical people think that the real reason for refusing to attend the meeting was not the fear of lowering the dignity of the office, but anxiety lest the public should be inclined to be critical and make a comparison between the superintendent as he shows himself to be in public and the superintendent as he is supposed to be in his office. They argue that, as the Department of Education is administered now, any man, be he ever so illiterate or unqualified, may hold the office of superintendent. All he has to do is to stay in the office, keep out of sight and out of range of criticism, hold examinations, mark the papers, burn them if an investigation is called for, and make the Minister of Education and the Government shoulder his blunders and fight his battles. In any trouble that has arisen between the department and the teachers, "Doctor" Pope has been careful to keep himself behind the earthworks of the Government. Let him come out and show that he has sufficient confidence in himself that he is fit for the office he holds.

DIOMEDE.

Drink Victoria Lager.

Tragedy in Knickerbockers.

The theatrical performance in which Mr. Marmaduke Wood and Mr. Coburn Tompson are to be the central figure is an assured thing, and let amusement seekers rejoice. Mr. McDonald signed them to-day for next Monday and Tuesday evenings. All of Hamlet will not be given, but Tragedian Marmie will read some passages from it. His costume will be his suit of knickerbockers. Mr. Tompson will recite and sing as also will Marmie. The show will be a great Shakesperian revival at which the old man himself may be present. It is said a wire screen has been engaged for the front of the stage for the protection of the tragedians from the applause of the gallery.

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One of Seattle's Busy Business Men Discusses the Situation.

Mr. E. E. Ainsworth, of the firm of Ainsworth & Dunn, wholesale fish merchants and sealers of Seattle, is in the city on a short business trip. Mr. Ainsworth is a typical young American business man, full of energy and schemes. He says Seattle is distancing all the Sound cities and is beginning to equal Portland. Speaking about the sealing question, he said:

"I am inclined to believe that the United States will lose in the arbitration of the sealing question, and I believe it only right that she should. Our government has set up some remarkable claims. Our firm is at present engaged in building a sealing schooner, and she will be with the fleet the coming season. The Willard Ainsworth, named after my father, paid 30 per cent. on the money invested this season. That was very good, I think."

Mr. Ainsworth has just been on a tour of eastern Washington, Montana, Utah and other states. Two weeks ago yesterday he heard the elder Cannon preach in the tabernacle in Salt Lake.

Said Mr. Ainsworth: "The old man is bent and gray, but is still a master mind and a great orator.

Polygamy is no longer practised openly by the Mormans, but to a certain extent it still has a secret existence. The younger Cannon is running for Congress and will probably be elected. He claims to have renounced many of the Morman doctrines. The Gentiles are in the ascendancy in Salt Lake at present, but the Mormans seem to be accepting favors from both the Republican and Democratic parties and biding their time."

Mr Ainsworth goes home to Seattle to-night to vote for John H. McGraw and Benjamin Harrison to-morrow.

Speedy Trials Court.
(Before Mr. Justice Drake.)

Oscar Bull, a Swede, charged with having in his possession stolen goods, the property of Mr. Beaumont, which he tried to dispose of in a pawnbroker's store, was discharged, the evidence being insufficient to convict.

A young lad, accused of breaking into a house on Pandora street, pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to the reformatory for nine months, the court not wishing to send him among the hardened criminals that sojourn in the provincial gaol.

A Chinaman elected to be tried on Friday at 11:30.

The March of Improvement.

Mine Host Sharp of the Elk Hotel, Comox, will immediately open a first-class hotel at Duluth, the new northern town. A Mr. Brown, recently from the east, will also soon open a general store there also. Other business houses will follow and the foundation of a prosperous place laid. The divisional shops of the Canada Western will give employment to a large number of men when the road is built, and with the advantages of the surroundings the city is sure to prosper. The locators of the line have already begun their work there and will come south to Comox.

Libelling His Goods.

A frisky horse attached to a milk wagon succeeded in breaking one of the shafts this morning on upper Yates street, and was duly chastised therefor by the driver. "What are you abusing that horse for?" asked a member of the S.P.C.A., who was passing. "Why, I'm just beating the whey out of him, don't ye see, for his stoopid jackassity," replied the driver. "I suppose it is a case of the milky whey?" said the enquirer. "I don't want none of yer libels on my goods," roared the irate dispenser of alleged cow product.

Vote on Annexation, Etc.

The regular weekly meeting of the Victoria Parliamentary Debating society will be held this evening in the Sir William Wallace hall, Broad street. The TIMES is not in the confidence of the government which is at present in power in the mock parliament, but it has reason to believe that in the speech from the throne, which will be delivered this evening, a proposition to refer the questions of political union with the United States, Imperial federation and independence of Canada to a vote of the people will be made.

Heavy Fines.

The captain of the steamer Iona was fined $100 and costs for carrying passengers without a license, and one of the owners of the steamer was fined $50 and costs for the same offence. The case was heard in the provincial court this morning, both defendants pleading guilty. The offence was committed several months ago, when the Iona took a number of Chinamen down the straits.

Social To-morrow Night.

The Daughters of Rebekah, I.O.O.F., intend to have one of their pleasant socials to-morrow evening, after closing of the lodge. A varied programme of music, etc., and refreshments will be provided. All members of the I.O.O.F. and their families are cordially invited.

To Hunt Round Qualicum.

Fred. Weldon, George Rudge, Walter Pilliman, William Croft and J. H. Warner leave to-morrow on the steamer Joan far a three days' hunt. They will return on the Joan. They expect to have a very pleasant time.

Sealing Schooner Sales.

It is said that three or four sealing schooners will be sold as the E. B. Marvin is to be, on Wednesday. No sales have been announced only the Marvin, but it is said that others will follow.

Ald. Styles' Promises.

Ald. Styles has promised to have the street in front of the Davie building put in ordar. If he does this he will receive the thanks of every citizen with the exception of the bootblacks.

Death of W. De Lang.

William De Lang, a native of Fredricton, N.B., aged 78, died at his residence, Hillside avenue, yesterday. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 11.

Shrubs and Trees.

On Wednesday at 11 a.m. Messrs. J. P. Davies & Co. will sell by auction at Jay's nursery, Cook street, a lot of evergreen shrubs, shade, ornamental and fruit trees.

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Killed by a Car.

A handsome spaniel was accidentally run over by an Esquimalt car yesterday afternoon and had one of his legs cut off. He was subsequently shot by a policeman.

Such is Fame.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer of Saturday contains the following personal:

Thomas Anderson, Mayor of Victoria, B.C., is a guest of the Grand.

Returned to the Sound.

The John T. Kelly Company came down from Nanaimo yesterday afternoon and left last evening for the Sound. They played at Vancouver and Nanaimo after leaving Victoria.

Provincial Police Court.

C. H. Banks, late engineer of the T. W. Carter, sued Captain Foote for $60, amount of wages due. The court ordered the defendant to pay the costs and $10 forthwith and the balance within 14 days.

A Saanich Residence.

Mrs. Watson, formerly of Duncan's station, has commenced the construction of a handsome residence on the water front at South Saanich. She recently purchased 100 acres from Mrs. Turgoose of Saanich.

Coal at $5.50 for Cash.

Rattray, in his new office at No. 42 Johnson street, in the new Turner building, opposite Gilmore & McCandless', is selling the best doubled screened Wellington coal; weight guaranteed, 2000 pounds to the ton, for cash only. *

To be Used for Entertainments.

Few traces of the recent bazaar remain in the old Roman Catholic church on View street. The building has been cleared again and will be used in future for gatherings of different kinds, by the several church organizations. The net proceeds of the bazaar have not yet been announced, but will be in a day or so.

Presbyterian Sale of Work.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, will spare no pains to make pleasant and profitable the visits of their friends to the sale of work to-morrow afternoon and evening in the public hall, Craigflower road. A good supper will be served from 5 to 8 p.m., and there will be good music during the evening. The proceeds are in aid of the church building fund.

Life and Work of Burns.

Miss Howison had the satisfaction of lecturing to a large and intelligent audience on Saturday evening in the Sir William Wallace Hall. Miss Howison reviewed the life of the bard in a pleasant, conversational way, giving selections from his better known poems at intervals. The audience appeared to derive great pleasure from the entertainment and were not sparing of their applause.

The Ploughing Match.

A great deal of interest is being taken in the ploughing match which is to come off next Saturday. Those who intend entering are hard at work practicing, and the farmers near the city are having the ground turned over free of charge. Several of the Victoria truck and dray company's teamsters are going to enter. They are practising at Mr. Rithet's farm at Saanich. The entries close on Thursday evening.

No Hope for Harrison.

Dr. A. P. Mitten, of Seattle, who has been spending a few days with his son, who is a student at Corrig College, returned home on the City of Kingston last evening. The doctor is an intimate personal and political friend of John H. McGraw, candidate for governor in Washington, and while he says his friend will be elected by a reduced majority, he has no hope for Mr. Harrison. He says New York and Indiana are surely Democratic.

The Monday Morning Batch.

Police Magistrate Macrae was in his accustomed place at the City Hall this morning after several days absence on account of illness. He had very few cases to deal with. A charge of assault preferred against E. North was withdrawn and a vag was given twenty-four hours in which to leave town. Three drunks who had "never been there before" were discharged with a warning. Angus McDonald went to jail for three months for stealing a shot gun from a cook named Jeffrey.

Price of Sugar.

The British Columbia Sugar Refining Company, of Vancouver, quote prices as follows:—

Sugars—Powdered, 6⅝ cents per lb.; Paris lumps, 6½; granulated, 5⅜; extra C, 4⅞; fancy yellow, 4¾; yellow, 4⅝; golden C, 4½.

Above prices are for barrels or bags; ½ barrels and 100 lb. kegs, ¼ more; boxes, ½ more. No order taken for less than 100 barrels or its equivalent.

Syrups—Finest golden, in 30 gall. brls. 2½ c. per lb.; do. in 10 gall. kegs, 3; do, in 5 do. $2.25 each.

Pleased With the Dual System.

The city council had a distinguished visitor last evening in the person of Mayor Beaven, of Victoria, says Saturday's Seattle Telegraph. He was agreeably surprised to note the facility with which business was transacted in the dual council. He thought Victoria was quite conservative in having a single city legislature, and was previously of the opinion that two houses must delay the passage of "by-laws," as ordinances are termed across the line. His visit was more particularly to inquire minutely into the general improvement system of Seattle, as Victoria is endeavoring to establish a method of a similar kind. Mayor Ronald spent the day in facilitating his research. He was decidedly taken with Seattle's system and with the courtesies extended, and also approved the presence of the corporation counsel at council meetings to lucidate measures.

Use "Highland Brand" evaporated cream. *

Drink Victoria Lager.

Jewellery, clocks and silverware are being offered for sale at a big discount by Kingham & Minor of 49 Government street.

Go to Hughes & O'Brien for fresh groceries. *

WORTHY OF NOTE.

The Concert to be Given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. are preparing an entertainment that should draw forth the best audience to be obtained in Victoria. It will consist of a concert and tableaux, the latter of an entirely novel description here, and will take place on Wednesday evening, the 23rd inst., under the distinguished patronage of Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney, Admiral Hotham and staff, Lieut.-Col. Holmes and Mayor Beaven. No effort is being spared by the ladies to make this an entertainment worthy the attendance of the largest audience ever assembled in the Victoria theatre.

The concerts and other entertainments presented from time to time by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. are noted for their first-class quality—this on the 23rd will eclipse any former attempt.

Among the sterling attractions may be mentioned several special selections by the band of H.M.S. Warspite; tableaux of statuary and scenes of various kinds by thoroughly trained participants, under the skilful superintendence of Mrs. D. R. Harris; vocal and instrumental selections by the best local amateurs. The prime attraction, however, will be the rifle drill by thirty young ladies. This company of modern Amazons has been carefully prepared in their exercises by a member of C Battery, and can go through the drill to perfection.

The Ladies' Auxiliary have been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. W. Ralph Higgins, who will sing before a Victoria audience for the first time since his return from study in Europe.

Besides these excellent numbers there will be many almost as attractive. The evening of the 23rd should be carefully noted as the engagement of the season, by all lovers of first-class entertainments.

Do you want any jewellery, silverware or clocks? If so call on Kingham & Minor, at 49 Government street. They are making big reductions in their stock.

Who Is Responsible?

An accident occurred on Saturday evening for which one at least of three persons concerned must be responsible. The persons are one Clements who drives J. B. Johnson's grocery cart, the contractors of the Davie building and the city authorities. Clements came round the corner on Saturday night driving rapidly through the six or seven foot passage that is left there at present, guarded on one side by a pile of building material and on the other by heaps of earth. Clements says his horse was restive on account of the cars, but at any rate he dashed into a foot passenger crossing the street. The horse struck him in the chest, knocked him down, and afterwards both wheels went over the unfortunate fellow. Happily the wagon was a light one and was not loaded. Mr. George Young, who was also crossing, just escaped a similar fate. The driver then attempted to proceed on his way in the darkness, but was overhauled by Mr. Young and made to give his name. It was discovered that the victim of the accident was a deaf mute, who lives in Harbor cabins, Store street; but those who were present at the time say that that fact will have no weight, as the man was driving at a needlessly quick pace in such a cramped and dangerous locality. In the opinion of most people, the city authorities are most responsible, after the driver, for the accident.

The P. O. Home.

The managers of the Protestant Orphans' Home have not yet been able to make a move towards commencing work on the new home. They have not received answers to their letters to other Orphan Homes requesting information regarding plans for the building, and consequently operations have been delayed. Mr. Alsop of the B. C. Land and Investment Company, who is now a resident of London, has promised to obtain plans of some of the large houses of London, and forward them to the board. With these plans and others from the United States and Canada, the managers will have a good opportunity of securing an appropriate building. The present home was overcrowded so another building has been rented to accommodate the orphans for whom there was not enough room in the main building.

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Two Attempted Robberies.

Two cases of attempted highway robbery have occurred within the past week or so, and both on the east road between the Royal Oak and Prairie Tavern. One of the persons was young Steinberger, who had been in town on some business, and was returning home, when his horse was stopped by a man armed with a bludgeon. The man afterwards made Steinberger acquainted with the club by means of a blow on the head. Fortunately the young man had nothing with him worth taking and the thief had his trouble for nothing. The other case happened a night or two afterwards; but different tactics were resorted to. A rope was stretched across the road with a view to tripping a horse that was approaching quickly. It succeeded, and threw the occupant out of the rig, but it also by some chance upset the trapper, and before he could recover himself the driver fired a shot gun after him. He escaped into the bush. There is a pretty shrewd suspicion entertained as to who is the person committing these amateur "hands up" entertainments. The Provincial police are watching the locality closely.

County Court.

Hon. Mr. Justice Walkem will give a written decision in the case of Harrison vs. Toller and Fletcher. Mr. Fell, for the defence contended that the court had no jurisdiction and that there were irregularities in the issuing of the summonses which vitiated the whole of the subsequent proceedings. The court recommended that the parties try to reach an amicable settlement, as the case should never have been brought into court. The evidence throughout showed that the transaction was far from being a proper or creditable one.

A Local Presidential Vote.

Frank Campbell is going to do an interesting thing to-morrow. He proposes to open a poll at his place on the U. S. election. He has a ballot box and tickets. □ The poll will open at 8 a.m. and close at 7 p.m. No repeating will be permitted under any circumstances. The result will be bulletined after the poll closes.

Provincial Court.

The case of two seamen against the captain of a sealing schooner was heard in the Provincial Police Court this morning before Magistrates Pearson and Shotbolt. Their claim was for $218, which sum the court ordered him to pay forthwith, or in default to suffer the dire penalties in such case made and provided.

Directors' Meeting.

A meeting of the directors of the Jubilee Hospital will be held this evening. Among other business the report of the ladies auxiliary on their recent ball will be considered. About $1015 has been handed the treasurer as a result of the ball, the expenses of which were only about $200.

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THE GIPSIES OF LONDON.

Picture of the Annual Return of the Romany Bands by a High Authority.

The Gipsy in a State of Evolution—He is Now a "Traveling Tradesman."

Special Correspondence of the TIMES.]

LONDON, Oct. 24.—To me there is no one thing more picturesquely suggestive of the dying year than the scurrying toward winter quarters in any land by innumerable bands of pilgriming folks, my tawny friends—the Gipsies.

This hastening of a whole people from out the summer heart of the countryside, this reluctant, driven, hurried human scattering from hedgeside home beneath the sun and stars to the miserable makeshifts of city housing, has in it far more impressive revelation of winter's coming than all the autumn flights of birds and wind whipped beatings of bare branches and bedraggled brown leaves.

"Hus gits old, doan't hus?"

This from tinker Zeke, the other morning, where I had remained over night with a Gipsy caravan by the side of a dreary down on the old stage road to Bath. Bareheaded and barefooted he had clambered outside of his tiny roadside habitation to "look o'er the day." He looked again and again at the sky, and over to the saffron tinted east. Then, with both hands deep in his trousers pockets, he gave his old body a sort of shuddering rub and twist and vouchsafed dejectedly:

"Hus gits old, doan't hus?"

"How's that, Zeke?" I answered merrily enough, determined to provoke a continuation of his strain of Gipsy philosophy if possible. "Gipsies never get old, and besides you're too brave an old rascal, Zeke, to whimper about getting on in years a little."

"Hi tells ye, hus all gits old!" This vehemently. "Hi never quits the country 'thout mindin me o' hit. Hits like moulian (dying), leastwise for me, to jaw vree the drom (to leave the road). Gan's a sturdie" (the town's a prison).

Here was a genuine exhibition of Gipsy sentiment. Zeke plumped himself down alongside the smoldering campfire, with his elbows upon his knees and his fine old head in his hands, and apparently gave way to the most gloomy reflections. Catching a Gipsy off his guard is not a common thing, and I felt like prodding him a little.

Turn Gorgio (non-Gipsy), then, Zeke; enjoy every day of life with a happy, permanent home over your head; go to church like a white man, and finally get to heaven, where there won't be any rough Gipsy winters."

He looked at me first with blank amazement. A fine scorn came into his swarthy face. Then in a tone of mingled reproof, disbelief and almost pathetic longing he said with ridiculous solemnity, "Aye, 'n Hi'd turn Gorgio, nor even kair rajah (town or false Gipsy, the most contemptible of all beings in the estimation of road Gipsies), fur a' that—*made sure!*"

Ah, honest Zeke! and who would not?

Here were perhaps two score vans, with all their ramshackle belongings, their ponies, asses and dogs, their crockery, cocoanuts and oilcloths, their skewers, pegs, rush baskets, dried flowers and leaves, and their far more odd and interesting owners. Some of the wanderers had come from as far north as Beauly, in Scotland; from away up in classic Wordsworth land by the quiet English lakes; from off southwest by the shore nooks of Somerset and Devonshire, and even from St. Ives and Penzance, in Cornwall, but most from dickering and dukkering at the midland and western counties' fairs. As if by some secret understanding, they had drifted together for a bit of roadside reunion at the edge of these wind swept moors, where few of the constabulary come with their remorseless summons of "Move on, you Gipsy dogs!" and, returning to the great city from a country tramp in Buckinghamshire, by right of rank and station as Gorgio Chal (Gipsy's friend), I had become one of them in the little roistering before their final abandonment of the season's wanderings by blossoming lane and road.

Camp was to be broken this very morning. The dark places of London would close upon the tawny crew scattered in little groups and families by night. It was absolutely certain they would never all meet again, even though separate families or bands should again know the boundless joy of the springtime outgoing.

Tinker Zeke was not alone in his mournful regret. The camp was rife with it, just as the landscape, sky and air were instinct with the tender sadness of the dying year. It seemed to me, nor was it all of seeming, that the fires themselves burned with less crackle and flame. Even the sizzling pots, hanging from the grimy kettle sticks, boiled and blubbered in minor hearthside tones.

Over in the stunted copses of the moor the tethered donkeys stood meekly silent with lowered heads or nibbled at the frosty grass as if in serious rumination. As the morning advanced good wives sat by the tent mouths or in the open van doors in sober discussion with their husbands or busied themselves with the morning meal, less spry and chipper than is the Gipsy woman's way. Youths bringing water from the stream or returning to camp with fodder for the animals and dead moor brushwood for the fires did their work gloomily and with none of the summer time whoop and halloo. Here and there were groups of the elder Gipsy men, seated on reversed buckets, van thills or leaning their backs against van wheels, who smoked their pipes with long, strong, introspective puffs and said little, while that little was measured and reflective.

Old spaewives puttered and pothered querulously, unsteadier in tone, more restless in movement and full of that petulant resentment to change, so true and pathetic a seal upon the overripe faculties of old age. Gipsy lasses, ever demure in the presence of potent act or fact in their elders, but miracles of winsome physical and heart free abandonment in joyous hours, looked twice their age in their long gowns and faces. And even the Gipsy dogs, those rare, sad visaged, voiceless cheats whose pretense of sodden ignorance out-Gipsy the slyest *Romany* themselves, sat ranged at deferential distances from the campfires, the embodiment of dreary dolefulness.

What was true of this camp is equally true of hundreds more in England and thousands in our own country. From the first of October to the last of November this concerted movement of Gipsies from their wandering merripen or life to the great cities, and with us, to the cities or southern states is constantly going on. Some begin to fly from extreme northern localities a month earlier. Others wait with a dogged sort of tenacity until fairly driven from the country lanes by howling December storms. Here in England there are important Gipsy communities in Liverpool, Birmingham, Manchester and other provincial cities, to which the roving bands concentrate for winter quarters, and even the smaller manufacturing towns of the northern English and southern Scottish shires have their regular Gipsy quarters.

But all of these together will not equal the number—in my judgment more than 100,000—that troops out of London in the springtime and returns to the great metropolis for the winter months. Their remote summer migrations, considering the difference in condition in favor of American Gipsies, are quite as extraordinary as with our own. While I have often known the American Gipsy band of three or four families to travel in sumptuous wagons from central Ohio to eastern Maine and return the same season, it is truly as interesting to meet—as I have met—London Gipsies who travel with lumbering vans or donkeys and carts in the most remote mining villages of Cornwall, among the "statesmen" in the hills of Cumberland, among the moorland villages of Yorkshire, on the reedy shores of the Norfolk "Broads," along the banks of the Till and Tyne on the southern slopes of the Cheviot Hills, beside the lochs of the far Hebrides, or nestled against some old clachan in the misty corries of the Scottish Highlands.

The evolution of the Gipsy—or, more properly, the rise of the Gipsy—is, though slower, as certain here as it has been in our country. With us hosts have gained or are securing little properties. These largely consist of fine farms, country tavern stands, tollgate privileges, tracts of woodland—of which they are very fond—livery and sales stables in the smaller towns and villages, and not infrequently extensive town properties—particularly large sales stables in our metropolitan cities. All who are at all interested in American Gipsies, whatever may be the hasty judgment from the appearance of occasional dusty roadside bands, should know once for all that as a class or race they have become rich and prosperous.

In a similar degree the last quarter of a century has wrought a wonderful change for the better with the majority of all London and English Gipsies who have been content to remain in their own land. In 1867, while in England, I had means of knowing from personal observation that almost universal squalor and wretchedness was characteristic of English, and particularly of London Gipsies. No one can make of a Gipsy anything but a Gipsy; but a generation of change here has effected a more marked advancement in a rugged sort of prosperity with this than with any other lowly class. It has not seized him bodily and in a moment, or a year, or a decade, put fine clothing upon him and made the Gipsy a man of affairs, but something, as with the destitute Italians who have landed upon our shores, who we directly find as hawkers, willing laborers, restaurant keepers, newsboys, bootblacks, controllers of retail and wholesale fruit and nut trades, and on the high road to prosperity, because they are quick witted and willing to labor—the English Gipsy has found, along with old makeshifts for livelihood, many new though rude occupations and means of getting on in the world, all after his own mind and heart.

The cavalcade at its outset may comprise one or more vans. These are, briefly described, tiny houses upon wheels. They are drawn by donkeys, or often by broken down city tram horses which the Gipsies get in London for a song, and which with care are finally transformed into excellent cattle. Following these may be three or four or a half dozen little donkey carts, after the fashion of the costermongers' city carts. These will hold the real resources of the band. An examination of the latter would reveal almost enough material in quantity, certainly enough in variety, to stock a little country store.

This stock in trade has not been picked up at random. In the London Whitechapel district there are great storehouses of "Travelers' Goods." Their owners, who I find include wealthy Gipsies, could not continue in business without the Gipsies' trade. The goods handled are somewnat similar to our American "bargain counter" odds and ends, especially in tinware and metal goods, hardware, crockery, cheap oilcloths and household knickknacks, with the coarsest of beads and gilded jewelery. It would be a revelation to ordinary English tradesmen to realize the enormous quantities of stuff annually disposed of in this manner throughout England, Scotland and Wales, and the integrity of these Gipsy wanderers where they ask and receive credit for their supplies, as they often do. Smaller "Travelers' Goods" stores may be found near the Bull Ring in Birmingham, where carts may be refilled in the lazy journeyings, but small shipments from time to time are forwarded by rail from London.

I have friends in the fruit and nut trade in the Drury Lane quarter of London who have supplied Gipsies in all parts of the provinces for the past twenty years. Half of this trade is done on credit, and the fruiterers all inform me they have never lost a penny at the hands of their thousands of Gipsy small customers. All these goods, fruits and nuts are hawked in little villages and sold at fairs and on market days. Indeed the English country fair of today would lose all its picturesqueness and most of its attractions for younger people were the petty Gipsy booths and Gipsy showmen withdrawn.

About the middle of the century, when the British Rural Police Act, which was directed against Gipsies and all wandering folk of the road, came in force, we find Borrow lamenting that the Gipsy "had nowhere to lay his head." The oppressive measure undoubtedly sent America 50,000 English Gipsies within a period of ten years. Indeed it almost extirpated Gipsydom in Great Britain, but the cunning Gipsy soon saw a way to mend his fortunes. He took out a license to become a traveling merchant. "Two and sixpence" gives him this right for the period of one year. He could still remain Gipsy in every other particular. Insensibly and by degrees he actually became the fellow whose vocation he originally assumed in order to merely exist.

There gradually followed a system among the wanderers of providing "Gipsy ground" on which to camp in safety from the raids of the mounted constabulary. Gipsies here and there who had got a footing and could be trusted bought or leased bits of waste land, unused lanes, idle tracts at the outskirts of cities and towns, or camping rights in roomy old stable yards. These are in turn sublet to arriving pilgrims at from one shilling down to a penny a day. And thus with London Gipsies—whose haunts and ways in and about London itself I shall describe in my next—one can travel from Land's End to John o' Groat's house, or London to Oban, and return, and never upon the road by day, or underneath the tent or the vanroof and the stars at night, be outside the comforting protection of watchful British law.

EDGAR L. WAKEMAN.

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6 34	12 40	ESQUIMALT	68	8 14	2 34	7	
6 44	12 50	ROSS BAY	67	8 24	2 44	8	
6 49	12 55	GOLDSTREAM	63	8 29	2 49	12	
6 58	1 04	SUMMIT SIDING	58	8 38	2 58	17	
7 04	1 10	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	55	8 44	3 04	20	
7 19	1 25	COBBLE HILL	46	8 59	3 19	29	
7 23	1 29	McPHERSON'S	43	9 03	3 23	32	
7 31	1 37	KOKSILAH	39	9 11	3 31	36	
7 39	1 45	DUNCANS	33	9 19	3 39	42	
7 48	1 54	COMIAKEN'S	28	9 28	3 48	47	
7 55	2 01	OYSTER BAY	23	9 35	3 55	52	
8 14	2 20	Ar. NANAIMO Lv.	0	9 15	3 35	73	
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Empress of India...	.....	Oct. 16, 1892
Empress of Japan..	Oct. 29, 1892	Nov. 13, "
Empress of China..	Nov. 23, "	Dec. 12, "
Empress of India...	Dec. 21, "	Jan. 9, 1893
Empress of Japan..	Jan. 18, 1893	Feb. 6, "
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" Comox for Valdez Island.....Thursday, 7 a.m.
Returning same day
" Comox for Nanaimo.....Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria.....Saturday, 7 a.m.
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8 00 am	Lv MI ...*Tacoma... 110	Ar 5 15 am
10 15 am	Lv 28 ...Seattle.... 82	Lv 3 00 am
1 30 pm	Lv 72 Pt. Townsend 38	Lv 11 45 pm
4 30 pm	Ar 110 ...Victoria!... M I	Lv 8 30 pm

Port Townsend Mail Route.

11 00 pm	Lv	MI 28	...*Seattle.... 58	Ar	Ar	3 00 pm
12 30 am	Lv	30	.Port Madison 47	Lv	Lv	2 10 pm
	Lv	45	...Kingston... 41	Lv		
3 00 am	Lv	49	.Port Gamble. 21	Lv	Lv	11 00 am
4 00 am	Lv	73	.Port Ludlow. 13	Lv	Lv	10 00 am
6 00 am	Ar	88	Pt. Townsend	MI	Lv	8 00 am

Steamer City of Kingston makes connection at Tacoma with Northern Pacific trains to and from points east and south.

* Daily except Sunday.
† Daily except Saturday.
‖ Daily except Monday.

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TIME TABLE No. 17.
Taking effect April 1, 1892
Vancouver Route.
Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 13 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.
New Westminster Route.
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 22 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock
For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock
Northern Route.
Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.
Barclay Sound Route.
Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 1st and 15th of each month.
The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.

SELF-DENIAL WEEK.

An Annual Event in the Salvation Army—Hope to Raise $20,000.

The Salvation Army's annual week of thanksgiving, prayer and self-denial is from November 6th to 12th, inclusive. The institution of the week of self-denial has been in existence five or six years. One special feature is an appeal which is made to every individual member and follower of the Salvation Army to deny themselves of some article of food or clothing, or in some way, so that without lessening their regular contributions they may be able to help the self-denial fund. An appeal is also made from house to house.

The self-denial fund is made up by the voluntary contributions of Salvationists and others who sympathize with the movement, and, as its title indicates, is drawn from acts of personal sacrifice and self-denial. The Salvation Army in Canada and Newfoundland hope to raise the sum of $20,000 this year for the self-denial fund. The money so raised will be apportioned in the following manner:—

$5000 for rescue and social operations.
$5000 for the relief of sick and wounded officers and officers in need.
$2500 for the training of officers.
$5000 for the assistance of small corps in their indebtedness to the territorial headquarters.
$500 to the French work.
$2000 for general extension.

The Salvation Army in England have recently held their self-denial week, which took place in September, and news has been received that the amount will approximate to something like $250,000 for that country. This is an increase of more than $100,000 on last year.

ARCHITECTS' ANNUAL MEETING.

Officers Elected for the Ensuing Year—Honorary Members.

On Friday afternoon the annual meeting of the British Columbia Institute of Architects was held at Vancouver. There were ten members present, five from Victoria, one from New Westminster and four from Vancouver. A considerable amount of routine business was transacted, the officers elected for the ensuing year being as follows: President, C. O. Wickenden, Vancouver; first vice-president, R. R. Bayne, Victoria; second vice-president, C. J. Soule, Victoria; treasurer, Ed. Mallandine, sr., Victoria; secretary, W. Ridgway Wilson, Victoria. The members of the council who did not retire were Messrs. Alan E. McCartney and Thos. Hooper, the new members elected being Messrs John Teague and Muir, of Victoria, and R. P. Sharpe, of New Westminster. The following were elected honorary members: Messrs. W. S. Gore, J. Hunter, H. B. Smith, G. A. Keefer, E. Mohun and F. C. Gamble, Victoria; A. E. Hill, New Westminster, and W. Crickmay, Vancouver. Mr. Currie, president of the Ontario Association, and Mr. Taylor, of the Quebec Association, who are now adjudicating on the plans of the new Government buildings at Victoria, were also elected honorary members.

A large number of applications for membership have been received, and these have been left over for the consideration of the council.

The association was founded in 1891, and incorporated in 1892. Although only duly incorporated this year, the association will seek further incorporation at the next session of the Provincial Legislature.

The Victoria delegates came home on Saturday evening.

"Forget Me Not."

The attraction at the Victoria theatre to-night will be "Forget Me Not," with Jeffreys Lewis as "Stephanie de Mohrivart." Jeffreys Lewis has always been recognized as the one woman who could play this part as it should be played. At times Miss Lewis is a siren, and it can readily be seen why the notorious Stephanie triumphed and ruled rich men to ruin; then again a she-devil, ready to tear her traducers to pieces, and later a supplicant for mercy and protection. Those who have seen her lately say that she is more brilliant than ever. One cannot help admiring the admirable manner in which Jeffreys Lewis plays, for in that line she is without a superior. She has engaged an excellent company to support her. The performance to-night will be a notable one. To-morrow evening Jeffreys Lewis will appear in her original character of "Geraldine" in Belasco's romantic drama of "La Belle Russe." Harry Mainhall will appear as Captain Dudley Brand.

Street Railway and Electric Light Securities.

The Montreal Gazette quotes Montreal street railway stock, $50 shares, at 245; and Royal Electric Light stock, $100 shares, at 245. The Montreal street railway will shortly be operated by electricity. The Toronto electric street railway stock is not listed; it is in few hands and is known to pay enormously. Two years ago scarcely an electric company on the continent paid a dividend. Now nearly all are doing well and stocks and bonds are eagerly sought after.

An Anniversary.

The anniversary of Acme Lodge, I O. O.F., will be celebrated in the lodge room on Friday night next. The proceedings will embrace a musical programme, a luncheon served in the library and a dance in the spacious hall of the society. The reunions held by the Oddfellows are always successful, and this one by the youngest lodge of the order will be no exception to the rule.

Ready to Meet.

The committee appointed by the Victoria Jockey Club to discuss the terms of amalgamation with the Victoria Turf Club, will have a meeting to-morrow or Wednesday and will make their report at once as it is important that operations be commenced as soon as possible so as to have everything in readiness for the spring meeting of 1893.

A full line of first class groceries and provisions at prices that will compare with any in the city. Quality guaranteed. Bowness & Creelman, 135 Government street.

Every working man should purchase of Graham, Blue Front Store, at 148 Government street.

Largest stock of furniture and house furnishing goods in the province at Weiler Bros.

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British Election Methods.

The following appeared as an advertisement in the Newcastle (England) Leader:

Rejoice not against me, O mine enemy! when I fall I shall arise; when I sit in darkness the Lord shall be a light unto me.—Micah vii, 8.

Election prayer meetings of all able to attend who believe in the righteousness of the Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone's and the Hon. John Morley's present line of policy toward Ireland and the British empire will, God willing, be held in the upper central hall, Hood street, Newcastle, beginning on Monday night first, Aug. 22 at 9 o'clock to about 10, and continuing each night up to and including Thursday next. The hall is engaged for Friday; but notice of a general praise and thanksgiving meeting for victory, of which we feel well assured, if only we will do our duty, to be held on that evening will be given during the week. Ladies as well as men welcome and invited.

Canvassers are all expected to thoroughly finish up their day's work, for it will be folly to come to seek God's blessing on indolence Discussions, irreverent conduct or talking will be entirely out of place. We gather to meet with God—not to dispute with man. Pray for the presence and power of the Holy Ghost before coming or you had better stay away. We mean business for national righteousness, and cannot afford time for trifling. Ireland waits for justice; China and India cry out against our iniquitous opium business, and Great Britain groans under the iron heel of the cruel curse of the drink traffic, which we have just sent Mr. Hamond into parliament to uphold. Hymnbooks will be provided.

Brief expositions of Scripture, bearing on the present Liberal policy and contest and the late defeat in Newcastle, will be given by various speakers. Written difficulties of Christians who may conscientiously, at present, be unable to support Mr. Morley will be answered briefly on the following evening, or privately if preferred. Impromtu questions not allowed. Prayers must be brief—not more than three or four minutes—so that many may take part, and bearing only on matters of public policy and not on private personalities. Collection at doors to defray cost of hall and advertising only. Any surplus to go to Newcastle infirmary, and a cash account rendered in Daily Leader.

Amateur Bicyclers versus Professionals.

It would be a hopeless and a thankless task to even attempt to raise the present cyclists to a pure amateur basis. I fear they are imbued with the taint of professionalism beyond redemption; they do not want a pure amateur basis; by their own confession they would prefer money prizes, and they are racing today solely for what they can make out of it.

It must be extremely mortifying to American sportsmen—it is to me—not to be able to point with pride to the fast riding of our racing cyclists as the work of amateurs. How can one be proud of a countryman, be his work ever so clever, who is riding under false colors, which is tantamount to saying he is leading a dishonest life? A man who is dishonest in his sport I would not trust in any walk of life. There are no degrees of honesty.

I claim that some of the manufacturers and some of our clubs are responsible for the souls of many unsophisticated young men whom they have led astray. I have no language strong enough to express my contempt and the contempt of all fair minded men for the officials of clubs who will deliberately plan the pollution of innocent and ignorant lads for the sake of securing a few more points than the rival club.

This question of legislation in amateur sport is too lightly considered and intrusted too often to men not in touch with its truer and higher significance. Sport is an educator of the boy; if he is honest and fair in that he will follow a similar course in the more serious walks of life. If a trickster in his play he is likely to carry it into his business.—Caspar W. Whitney in Harper's Weekly.

Leaden Messengers of Death Preserved.

In the relic case of General Lander post, of Lynn, Mass., there has been placed an object which commands the reverence of every veteran who has fought for his country. It is merely a common, ordinary piece of planking, but deeply imbedded in that plank are eleven bullets, each of which found a billet in the breast of some gallant soldier during the war. At the battle of Ezra Church, near Altoona, Ga., a number of fallen soldiers were buried in a trench. The wearers of the gray and blue were placed side by side where they slumbered peacefully until a short time ago, when the bodies were exhumed for burial in the soldiers' lot.

The bullets dropped out while the bodies were being transferred and were preserved carefully by being placed in the plank which was presented to Superintendent William Stone, of Pine Grove cemetery, at the national convention of cemetery superintendents, and be in turn presented it to Lander post.—Exchange.

The Tulip.

The tulip was first made known to botanists by descriptions and figures made by the Swiss naturalist, Conrad Gessner, in the year 1559. The plant from which Gessner made his drawings was growing in the garden of one John Henry Harwart, at Augsburg, the seed or bulb having originally been brought from the Levant. The date of its introduction into England is somewhat uncertain, but horticulturists usually set it down as 1580, probably on account of a passage in the works of Hakluyt (1582), which says, "Now within these four years there has been brought into England from Vienna, Austria, divers kinds of flowers called Tulipas." Linnæus tells us that the tulip is a native of Cappadocia; also that he believed it to be the "lily of the field" spoken of by the Saviour.—St. Louis Republic.

Sacred Trees.

The Jews and the Arabs place the date palm before all other trees, because it was, they say, made of the same clay as Adam, and prophesied through its leaves. The rabbis accredited Abraham with a knowledge of what was thus conveyed for his direction. In Persia the inhabitants burn wax tapers, as at a shrine, before the trees which they hold sacred—the oriental plane and the cypress. They hope thus to obtain the cure of their maladies and the accomplishment of their wishes.—Gentleman's Magazine.

Remembered After Fifty Years.

A curious case of introspection, or extraordinary retrospection, or something, is that of a woman who recently died in a neighboring town. On her deathbed she bothered herself to repay a loan of twenty-five cents incurred over fifty years before. It had come to her suddenly as she rummaged back through the years of her life, every small detail of attending circumstance becoming plain to her after a half century of forgetfulness.—New York Times.

BI-METALLISM.

To the Editor:—In reply to W. K. B.'s letter in your issue of the 3rd inst. asking for information on the subject of bi-metallism; perhaps the following may be of interest to him:—At the monetary conference to be held in America shortly it is said the question of the adoption of international bi-metallism will be considered, and I believe President Harrison stated in the Senate in June last that the strongest possible efforts would be made to secure an agreement upon the question of a fixed ratio, and the opening of the mints of the world to free coinage which would establish the parity of metals, making one dollar equal to another, whether gold, silver or paper. As to a satisfactory conclusion being arrived at, I think it is hardly likely, as these monetary conferences have in the past been fraught with little result. The fixing of a ratio between the two metals—a point which one-sided bi-metallists pass over in a most remarkable, almost indifferent—manner—is in itself a rock on which any conference will be sure to split. Those nations, like England, which have large gold interests at stake will be anxious for a ratio as favorable to gold as possible, while those nations which have silver interests will be desirous to obtain a ratio favoring silver, and as nothing can possibly be done without a fixed ratio, this point alone is sufficient, in the view of all unbiased men at least, to place bi-metallism outside the region of practical politics. China and the East Indies must have silver for their currency requirements, no matter what they have got for it, and it is unlikely that the holders of silver, whether they be speculative holders or otherwise, will part with the metal except at the highest obtainable price. If holding back on the part of seliers will gain that price, as in the case of the states demand it will, then the metal will be held back, and the price will accordingly rise. Now the supply of silver for currency purposes may be increased in three ways—by a transference from the arts, by the substitution of gold for silver in the currency of some other country; and by increased production from the mines. It is true that as silver rises in price the relation between the two metals is altered, gold falling and silver rising, so that there will be an increase in the demand for gold for use in the arts on account of its comparative cheapness and a diminution in the demand for silver for artistic purposes on account of its comparative dearness. But if the price of silver is to be lowered by supplies set free from this source, it will take a long time till their influence is felt.

Bearing in mind the rapid increase in silver production which is already taking place, and the stimulus to production which the higher price will give, it is extremely difficult to see how, if free coinage be adopted, the United States will be able to avoid inflation and the consequent exportation of gold, which it is unlikely a nation of the standing of the States will tamely submit to, and should the result be the disannulling or even the limitation, of silver legislation, it is needless to add that the price of the metal will fall even more speedily than it has risen. Supposing now that under the Silver Bill the rise in silver is not sufficient to satisfy the silver party, and that the Republicans still desire to help the metal, what form will future legislation take? There appears to be three, but only two of these can the States adopt unaided. The first of the three is the maintenance of the parity between gold and silver by international agreement, in other words the adoption of international bi metallism. Another form is the adoption of free coinage, which would ultimately mean that gold being the dearer metal would leave the country, and that soon America would have a silver standard. The third and last form is the free coinage of silver by the states, with this important restriction, that the metal must be produced from the mines of the country. While this measure has much greater chance of being adopted than the former, its meaning must not be overlooked. Under it America would simply be eliminated from the markets of the world as a silver producing country. But even under present conditions the states will be more than able to consume the silver produced in the country, and, it is abundantly evident that a measure such as this would not be capable of raising the price outside America. Its only influence on the outside world would be, that as the production of silver ultimately increased in America, it would prevent the surplus supply from being thrown on other markets, and thus would tend to retard a fall in silver. H.H B.

Victoria, B.C., 4th November, 1892.

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Under the auspices of Milton Lodge, Sons of St. George, will be held in the Assembly Hall, Friday, November 18th. Four handsome prizes will be given. For further particulars see posters. Tickets, admitting lady and gent, $1.50; single ladies, 50c. oc28-td

MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

TIMES P. & P. CO., L'D.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Times Printing and Publishing Co., Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the Company, 37 Yates St., Victoria, on Thursday, November 10th, at 7.30 p.m., to consider a proposition to increase the capital stock of the company to One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000).

WM. TEMPLEMAN,
GEO. BERRIDGE,
H. R. McINTYRE. } Trustees.

Victoria, Oct. 11, 1892.—4w.

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TENDERS.

In the Matter of the goods of Robt. H. Ward, Deceased, intestate.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned at their office, Bastion street, on behalf of Wm. Monteith, Official Administrator, up to noon of Thursday, the 10th day of November instant, for the purchase of 157 shares of the "National Electric Tramway & Lighting Co'y, Ld." (fully paid up).

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., 4th November, 1892.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for the Official Administrator.
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Tenders will be received up to noon, Tuesday, 8th inst., for the erection of a Frame and Iron Building, facing south-west corner of Douglas St. and Queens Ave., for A. Keating, Esq.

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no5-1m Horace L. Fowler.

MUNICIPAL.

To Owners of Real Property

Tax Notices have this day been posted to all parties holding Real Property.

If not delivered at residence please call at Post Office for same.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

Victoria, Oct. 20th, 892.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that I will apply at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the license of the Pacific Telegraph Hotel, to the New Telegraph Hotel, store Street.

J. MERRIFIELD.

Victoria, Nov. 2, 1892.—4d

NOTICE is hereby given that we, William Shewan and Robert Menaugh intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at the next sitting thereof on the second Wednesday of December, 1892, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by us for the premises known as the American Hotel, Yates Street, in the City of Victoria, to William John Hambly, and Frederick William Gilbert, both of Victoria, for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors by retail at the said premises hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated, Victoria, B.C., 1st November, 1892.

W. H. SHEWAN,
no2-1m ROBT. MENAUGH.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 141, 142 and 141, in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to William Parsons Sayward on the 21st day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection there to be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 19th October 1892. oc21-3m

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date we shall, on behalf of Honorable J. S. Helmcken, M.D., make application to the Honorable Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, for permission to erect a wharf fronting on his property, Lots 1367, 1368 and 1369, Block 47, Victoria City. Plans of the said wharf are now deposited with the Department of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the Land Registry office at Victoria, B. C.

Oct. 21th, 1892.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
oc24-1m Solicitors for Hon. J. S. Helmcken.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trusts Deeds Act, 1890

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Watson Carter and William Fraser Tolmie, carrying on business in the City of Victoria under the firm name of Carter and Tolmie, Brewers, have assigned all their real and personal property to John Joel Austin, of the said city of Victoria, Real Estate Agent, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said Carter and Tolmie. The said deed was executed by the said Assignors and Trustee on the fourteenth day of October, 1892, and the said Assignee has undertaken the trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said firm of Carter and Tolmie must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the Assignee, at Victoria, on or before the fourteenth day of December, 1892. All persons indebted to the said firm of Carter and Tolmie are required to pay the amount due by them to the said Assignee forthwith. After the said fourteenth day of December, 1892, the Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.

YATES, JAY & RUSSELL,
22 Bastion Street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Assignee.
Dated the fifteenth day of October, 1892.—tf

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890

NOTICE is hereby given, that Robert Geo. Howell and John H. Kerr, carrying on business in the City of Victoria, under the firm name of R. G. Howell & Co., Art Dealers, have assigned all their real and personal property to John G. Brown and Joseph Sears, both of the City of Victoria, in trust, for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority, the creditors of the said R. G. Howell & Co. The said deed was executed by the said Assignors and Trustees on the tenth day of October, A. D. 1892, and the said Assignees have undertaken the Trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said firm of R. G. Howell & Co., must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the Assignees, at Victoria, on or before the tenth day of December, 1892. All persons indebted to the said firm of R. G. Howell & Co. are required to pay the amount due by them, to the said assignees forthwith. After the said tenth day of December, 1892, the trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned on Wednesday the 19th day of October, 1892, at 3 o'clock, p.m.

THORNTON FELL,
56 Langley street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Assignees.
Dated the tenth day of October, 1892.
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NOTICE.

In re Maria Larbonne, Deceased, Intestate.

All persons indebted to the estate of the above named deceased, are requested to pay the amount of such indebtedness to the undersigned, and all creditors of the said estate are requested to send in certified statements in detail.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1892.

YATES, JAY & RUSSEL,
Solicitors for Joseph Larbonne, Administrator.
oc18-1m

Board of Health Notice.

The attention of MEDICAL MEN is directed to the provisions of Section 13 of the Consolidated Health By-Law, which reads as follows:

13. Every medical practitioner attending or visiting any person who is suffering from small-pox, cholera or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

The attention of KEEPERS OF HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES in the City is directed to Section 12 of the Consolidated Health By-Law, which is as follows:

12. Whenever a person suffering from small-pox, cholera, or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, is an inmate of any hotel or boarding house, the keeper, or one of the keepers, of such hotel or boarding house shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

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BAPTIST CHURCH.

The First Sermon By Rev. Mr. Coombes—An Eloquent Speaker.

The new pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Herald street, made his bow to the congregation yesterday. At both services there were large congregations, the evening service presenting a very animated appearance. Rev. J. E. Coombes, whose last pastorate at La Conner, was such an unqualified success, is quite a young man, younger in appearance than in fact, being 31 years of age, of strong distinctive personality, ready speech, quaint pleasantry, and withal of splendid oratorical gifts, the new minister is doubtless a real acquisition to the ministerial forces of the city. Seemingly with an inexhaustible fund of anecdote and illustration, added to great dramatic power, the sermon, which appears of the character of a conversation, rivets the attention as well as impresses the heart and intellect. His morning sermon was based upon Samuel 40. 26. 27., which he stated he would use as a motto for his discourse rather than as a subject for exposition. He spoke of the heartiness of the welcome he had already received since he arrived in Victoria; how, that church and congregation were eagerly desirous to prove their loyalty and devotion, and that other churches of the denomination in British Columbia had also through their pastors sent loving letters of fellowship and good will. He showed that the church should be fairly alive to the great work in the city, there was to be done, and if they would be successful they must be of the character described in the text, "Men whose hearts God had touched." Persons might labor as Sunday school teachers, as officers of the church, as preachers, and yet be untouched by the power of the Holy Ghost. The veneering of a Christian profession only would chip off beneath the blaze of the eternal fire. The success of Calvary Baptist church would rest not only upon moneyed men, nor titled men, though they were both useful and needed, but upon regenerated men. The church too must be "touched" with the worth and need of this great city. The surging waves of sin, the mire of shame, the dens of infamy and the wail of sorrow, must be borne upon the hearts of Christian men and women if they would awake to the realization of Christ's great work among men. The Divine doughtiness of the plan of salvation must "touch" the church, and cause it to throb with holy zeal and fervor. The preacher told the story of the young convert who asked that the hymn, "Oh, to be nothing, nothing," might be sung, and folks wondered why he liked it so much; but after a few years' experience of his life in the church they concluded that it was an apt description of his usefulness. He exhorted them not to "hold" the fort but to "take" it and to never cease battling with sin and Satan until the citadels of the foe should have the flag of King Immanuel flying over them. Lastly he urged them to remember that every church member should bear their full share of the financial burdens of church, that it their hearts were really aglow with divine love, they would be eager to manifest it in having their gifts upon the altar.

The evening sermon was delivered from the text 1 Corinthians, 2, 2: For I determined not to know anything among you, save Jesus Christ, and Him crucified. He said that he had laid down a platform for his people in the morning discourse, the evening sermon should contain a platform for himself. Incidentally remarking that he would always be pleased to have honest and loving criticism, yet he would brook no dictation in the manner and method of his work. He intended to make the language of the text the burden of his ministry in the city which meant, not that he would do nothing else but preach, but that preaching the Gospel included all things else. He did not necessarily understand B. C. politics, nor could he vote, being an American, but he would take no less interest in the political questions of the hour. In all social and moral questions he trusted that he would be found using voice and influence on the side of and beneath the shadow of the cross of Christ. The great reason why he intended to preach "Christ and him crucified" was because it was God's way of saving the world. The cities of the old civilization needed just the same gospel as the cities of the new.

Athens and Corinth with their art and culture, their triumphs of the human intellect needed just the same gospel. He meant to be old-fashioned enough to preach the old-fashioned truths of "human depravity" of hell, of the devil. Men in the guise of Christian ministers were preaching clap-trap and so-called refinement and culture. They said that the "tunes," the "age," and the "people" required it. The tunes, the age and the people needed that the glarious revelation of God incarnate, lifted up the eyes of the lost world, which took the hungry babe and fed it, and made the loathsome and putrid leper a wholesome and clean man, which opened the sightless eyes of the blind and gave hope and gladness to thousands, and by God's help, he (the preacher) meant to preach it. Christ crucified was God's last home-call to a ruined world, 'twas the keynote to the music of the heavenly spheres, 'twas the standard of all moral right and uplifting of humanity, and that revelation of Divine goodness found in the whole of the Scriptures, from Genesis to Revelations should be the burden of his song, and the theme of his ministry.

The church and congregation intend tendering a formal welcome to their pastor to-morrow evening, November 8th, when a large congregation may be xpected.

Cutting a Moderately Wide Swath.

A young man going by the name of Parks arrived in our city a few weeks ago and enjoyed himself as far as his cash went. He was supposed to be from California, traveling for some cigar house in Chicago. He left Victoria the other evening for the Sound via Vancouver, leaving a few friends to mourn his absence. The young man gave to a hotel keeper and some others cheques on the Bank of British Columbia. When these were presented it was found he had no funds on deposit.

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DIED.

DE LONG—In this City on the 5th inst., William De Long, aged 78 years, a native of Fredericton, N. B

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PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver.—F Apton, Miss Binsmore, Miss Stilt, G Haywood, E Wolff, J Buoyer, N B Gauvreau, J Coughlan, G W Whynne, G F Matthews, R Hamilton, J H Freeman, J Golding, J Crawford, J Patterson, J Hendry, S Glenn Todd, J Fletcher, T C Alcock, Mrs R E Gosnell, Capt Tatlow, A Bransak and wife, C W Shaw, J Crow, H Campbell, J M McGregor, D McCrea, C G Rall-ton, W T Tait, C Freeman, C Dickson, J W McFarland, C Sedgwick, W Thomas, Jno Forrest, D Wilson, A Earle, A Cameron, F V Austin, R E Gosnell, Alex Ewen, D J Munn.

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